[4th March 1961

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : The hon. Member may put a separate question.

SRI K. VINAYAKAM : Sir, is the Hon. Minister aware of the fact that in some institutions like the Higher Elementary Schools in Kodambakkam, the teachers have not been given the revised scales of pay recommended by the Pay Commission even after a lapse of two years and inspite of many reminders sent to the Department?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : It came into effect only from 1st June 1960. Kodambakkam seems to be a peculiar place. If the hon. Member, Sri K. Vinayakam brings to my notice any case, I will look into it.

Girls' High School (Shencottah)

*571 Q.—SRI T. S. RAMASWAMI (on behalf of SRI K. SATTANATHA KARAYALAR) : Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance be pleased to state—

(a) whether it is a fact that the waterman, gardener, sweeper of the Girls' High School, Shencottah, are getting their pay only after the 15th of each month; and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor and the period for which they are receiving their pay after the 15th of each month?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Deputy Inspector of Schools

*572 Q.—SRI K. R. VISWANATHAN : Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance be pleased to state—

(a) whether any advanced Tamil language test is prescribed for the post of Deputy Inspector of Schools; and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : (a) An Advanced Language Test has been prescribed for probationers in the combined cadre of Deputy Inspectors of Schools, School Assistants, Headmasters and Headmistresses in the Madras Educational Subordinate Service who possess, at the time of selection by the Madras Public Service Commission, the B.Sc. Degree of the Madras University.

(b) The Deputy Inspectors, School Assistants, Headmasters and Headmistresses should possess knowledge of B.A. Part II Standard in the regional language, if they are to do their inspection or teaching work with a fair degree of efficiency. As the holders of 2 year B.Sc. Degree of the Madras University would not have studied a language other than English in their degree course, the Advanced Language Test, which is of the B.A. Part II Standard, has been prescribed for such degree holders in the combined cadre.